

Cracked house.
Near Barnesville, Pike County, Georgia

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GACHET HOUSE
Near Barnesville, Pike County
Georgia

Owner: Mr. J.S. Milner.

Date of Erection: 1825.

Arch^{it}itect and Builder: No record.

Present Condition: Good.

Number of Stories: Two.

Materials of Construction: Wood.

Other Existing Records: See text.

Additional Data: See following pages.

DESCRIPTIVE DATA

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GACHET HOUSE, near Barnesville, Pike County,
Georgia.

Frame, two stories, outside brick chimneys,
recessed porches, ridge roof.


Built by the "Widow Caroline Gachette" as a home
in 1825. The out buildings and fencing were destroyed
by Sherman in his "March to the Sea" in 1864.

There is a tablet on the house with the following
inscription:-

"This tablet marks the site wherein in 1825
LaFayette tarried awhile in the home of Mrs. Gachette
while en route from Milledgeville to Montgomery, Alabama."

"Placed by Lamar-LaFayette Chapter D.A.R. 1930."

Present owner, Mr. J.S. Milner, Atlanta, Georgia


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